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SUBJECT: CONGRESSIONAL CORRESPONDENCE

REF: LETTER DATED DEC. 6, 1976 FROM SENATOR CHILES

1. YOU INQUIRED ABOUT MR. FRANK DEVINE, MANAGER OF A
PLANT OF BERKLEY INTERNATIONAL COMPANY LTD. ON BEHALF
OF MR. DON PORTER, PRESIDENT OF THAT COMPANY.
 2. THE EMBASSY'S CONSULAR SECTION WAS ALREADY IN
COMMUNICATION WITH MR. DEVINE CONCERNING HIS LEGAL PROBLEMS.
EMBASSY PERSONNEL SPOKE WITH HIM AGAIN LAST WEEK AND
SHORT OF GIVING SPECIFIC LEGAL ADVICE HAVE ATTEMPTED TO
BE OF ASSISTANCE. IN PARTICULAR MR. DEVINE EXPRESSED HIS
SATISFACTION WITH A LETTER PREPARED IN THE CONSULAR SECTION
FOR DELIVERY TO THE CHINESE COURT OFFICIALS CONCERNED WITH
HIS CURRFT PROCEEDING.
 3. ASSUME HE WILL BE IN COMMUNICATION WITH
MR. PORTER AS SOON AS RESULTS OF THIS PROCEEDING
ARE KNOWN. MR. DEVINE HAS IN WRITING AUTHORIZED
THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION TO YOU AND MR.
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